



Docket No.: SYN-0008A

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	
Jacobus M. LEMMENS et al.	:	
Serial No.: 09/938,816	:	Group Art Unit: 1616
Confirm. No.: 1906	:	Examiner: S. Gollamudi
Filed: August 27, 2001	:	
For: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING AMLODIPINE MALEATE	:	

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

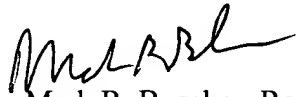
Further to the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed March 25, 2003, wherein applicants advised the Examiner of the existence of a nullity proceeding in Germany regarding a utility model based on the instant application, applicants provide the Examiner with the following additional information.

Applicants have recently come into possession of what is believed to be an accurate English translation of the briefs filed in the German proceeding. Neither applicants nor their assignee are responsible for preparing this translation. It was received from a credible third party. Accordingly, out of an abundance of caution, applicants are providing the Examiner a

copy of the purported translations of the German nullity proceeding. Consideration of the briefs and the accompanying attachments thereto are requested.

Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this matter, she is encouraged to contact Mark R. Buscher (Reg. No. 35,006) at telephone No. 703 753 5256.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark R. Buscher', written in a cursive style.

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